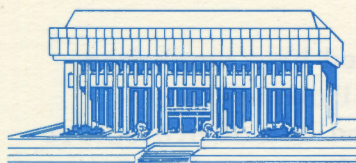


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FY 1975 LABOR-HEW APPROPRIATIONS BILL

The U. S. Senate passed its version of the Labor-HEW appropriations bill for fiscal year 1975 (HR 15580) on September 18. \$99,857,000 is the figure included in the Senate bill for "Library Resources" which includes appropriations for LSCA, HEA II-A and B and HEA-VI. The Senate figure represents a greater appropriation than funds provided either by the House bill or the administration's budget request. A comparison of provisions can be found below:

	<u>Senate</u>	<u>House</u>	<u>Budget</u>
<u>LSCA (total)</u>	<u>\$69,500,000</u>	<u>\$46,749,000</u>	<u>\$25,000,000</u>
LSCA I - services	66,906,000	44,155,000	25,000,000
II - construction	-0-	-0-	-0-
III - interlibrary cooperation	2,594,000	2,594,000	-0-
IV - older readers	-0-	-0-	-0-
<u>HEA II-A&B (total)</u>	<u>\$17,857,000</u>	<u>\$11,975,000</u>	<u>-0-</u>
Part A - resources	12,500,000	9,975,000	-0-
B - training and demonstration	5,357,000	2,000,000	-0-
<u>HEA VI (educational equipment for undergraduate colleges)</u>	<u>\$12,500,000</u>	<u>\$ 5,000,000</u>	<u>-0-</u>

One casualty of the Senate bill is the ERIC Clearinghouse on Information Resources. The Senate bill does not allow any funds for the National Institute of Education (NIE) of which ERIC is a part. The House, however, voted \$80,000,000 for NIE.

Conferees appointed to resolve differences between the House and Senate versions of HR 15580 include Senator Hollings of South Carolina. Librarians are urged to contact Senator Hollings to urge maintenance of the Senate - passed amount for library resources and to support restoration of funding for ERIC as part of the NIE budget.

FILM PROGRAM INAUGURATED

The South Carolina State Library's Film Program was inaugurated by a workshop on September 18-19, attended by 58 librarians representing 33 public libraries and 4 institutional libraries. Regulations and procedures for the program and use of projectors and equipment were explained by staff members from the S. C. State Library and USC's Audio Visual Services Division. John Bridges, visiting consultant from Pack Memorial Library, Asheville, N. C., discussed utilization of films and programming in libraries.

Libraries are currently submitting applications for participation in the Film Program, and it is anticipated that the use of films will begin early in October. Films available through this program are adult level films of cultural and informational interest for use in library-sponsored programs. The project is funded under the Library Services and Construction Act and is available to South Carolina public and State institutional libraries only.

The South Carolina Film Program represents a cooperative arrangement with the Audio Visual Services Division of U. S. C. whereby films selected and purchased by the State Library will be housed and processed by the University.

SOUTH CAROLINA STATE LIBRARY DESIGNATED AS REGIONAL COLLECTION FOR FOUNDATION DOCUMENTS

The South Carolina State Library was recently designated as a regional collection by the Foundation Center, a non-profit educational organization which collects and distributes information on philanthropic foundations.

As part of the collection, the library is currently receiving Annual Reports on Film. Annual reports of approximately 250 of the largest national foundations in the United States have been made available in microfiche format. These reports contain information on financial data, policies, application procedures, and descriptions of all grants made by these foundations.

In addition, the South Carolina State Library will be a depository for IRS returns filed by private foundations located in South Carolina. These Internal Revenue Service returns contain financial data on each of the South Carolina foundations, including grants, payments and investments, as well as the names and addresses of managers of the foundations. The IRS returns are usually made available one and one-half to two years following filing date. The returns have been published on aperture cards.

In its capacity as a regional collection, the South Carolina State Library will supply reference service regarding this collection to any library in the state. The library has the capacity to duplicate the material in either paper or microfiche format. Any inquiries concerning the foundation collection should be addressed to Mr. John Landrum, Head, Reader Services Department, South Carolina State Library.

LEGISLATION INCLUDES SUPPORT FOR RICHLAND AND GREENVILLE COUNTY PUBLIC LIBRARIES IN COUNTY INDUSTRY TAX

During the recent South Carolina legislative session, two bills were passed which make it mandatory for industries locating in either Greenville or Richland counties to pay taxes for library support. This was accomplished by expanding the definition of taxation for "educational purposes" to include libraries. Until the present time, only schools have been classified as educational institutions.

County Libraries having millage support are advised to contact their delegation members following the November election to request similar action on industry tax support in their counties.

COLLOQUIUM SERIES TO HONOR NANCY BURGE

A colloquium series honoring Nancy Burge, Professor Emeritus, College of Librarianship, University of South Carolina, will be inaugurated at a dinner-colloquium on November 14 at the Sheraton Inn, 630 Assembly Street, Columbia, South Carolina. The faculty of the College of Librarianship has invited all former students, colleagues, friends in the community and region, and alumni to attend the dinner-colloquium to honor Miss Burge who retired in July, 1974.

Frances Henne, Professor of Library Service, Columbia University, will present an address on "Today's School Media Specialists: Challenge and Conflict?"

Persons interested in attending the dinner-colloquium should contact Linda Hayes, Instructor, College of Librarianship, 114 Davis College, University of South Carolina, Columbia, South Carolina 29208 (777-2298, 777-2249) for further details by October 15. Persons who will be unable to attend, but who would like to address a letter of tribute to Miss Burge should contact Miss Hayes at the above address.

JOANNA MEMORIAL LIBRARY DEDICATED

The Joanna Memorial Library, a branch of the Laurens County Library, was officially dedicated on September 8. In a brief program, Mrs. Harriet H. Huff, Laurens County Librarian, recognized persons who were instrumental in creating the library. Particular recognition was paid to members of the Joanna Foundation--J.D. Hart, President of the foundation who supervised the project; Mrs. Walter Regnery, foundation trustee, and Marvin Simmons, contractor. Guest speaker at the dedication ceremony was the Rev. James M. Mitchell of Columbia.

Following the dedication, an open house was held. The new library is located in a building formerly occupied by the Joanna Hospital.

SITE FOR LIBRARY IN WALHALLA DONATED

A site for a new Oconee County Library in Walhalla has been donated by Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Norton. Mrs. Norton has supported county library development, serving for many years on the Oconee County Library Board as well as serving as its chairman.

The tract of land which was donated covers an almost full-block area and is valued at \$50,000. Recently, the Oconee County Legislative Delegation included \$30,000 in the Oconee County Supply Bill to pay for architectural fees and to ready the donated property for construction of a new library building.

LEXINGTON PROCEEDS WITH PLANS FOR NEW LIBRARY

The Lexington Town Council has accepted contributions of \$60,000 raised by the Lexington Public Library Association for construction of a new building to house the branch of the Lexington County Library located in Lexington. The Town Council approved proceeding with the final plans for the proposed building.

Library association officials have proposed a 3,500 square-foot library building at an approximate cost of \$160,000. The branch library is currently housed in the Lexington Town Hall.

In addition to contributions and pledges in the amount of \$60,000 collected from citizens and businesses in the Lexington area, the Lexington County Council has allocated \$20,000 for the building fund. The Lexington Public Library Association plans to continue their fund-raising drive to raise the additional funds.

A spokesman for the Association said that construction of the new library is expected to begin early in 1975.

BILLBOARDS ADVERTISE LIBRARY'S SERVICES

The Greenville County Library has recently been carrying its message beyond the confines of the library. "Today a Reader... Tomorrow a Leader, The Greenville County Library" is the message appearing on local billboards in the county. In addition to using billboards, public service announcements advertising the library's services have also been broadcasted by radio and television stations in the county.

The Chesterfield County Delegation authorized an additional \$3,000 in revenue sharing funds in order to purchase a library lot for the Pageland Community Library in August. The Delegation had earlier authorized \$3,000 for purchase of a library site. The approval of additional funds culminates efforts by residents of Pageland who forwarded petitions supporting a new Chesterfield County library branch in Pageland to the delegation members. Presently the Chesterfield County Library operates branches in Cheraw, Chesterfield and Pageland.

GLEANINGS FROM ANNUAL REPORTS-
MARION, HORRY

Annual reports received from county libraries at the South Carolina State Library indicate that South Carolina libraries are on the move.

"Four Points of Service," the first printed annual report for the Marion County Library outlines major accomplishments in that county library system since it was first consolidated in 1970. The past few years have witnessed renovation of branch libraries in Mullins and Nichols, acquisition of a bookmobile to provide county-wide library service, addition of a Children's and Young People's Room, proposed addition to the main library, and an increase in circulation from 37,437 to 81,183.

Not only do these reports indicate a progressive, on-going development, but, as in the case of Horry County, they pause to reflect on this development. Catherine Lewis, Librarian, Horry County Library, provides food for thought for all public librarians in her annual report for 1973-74 entitled "HCML-'for the entire people'." In summary, Mrs. Lewis states:

"Change is upon us, accelerating at a rate which threatens to overwhelm us. The public library like every other institution is changing. The challenge is to direct that change so that the community's expectations and needs are anticipated and met to the greatest degree possible. The public library is an institution peculiarly useful in these days because it can help people achieve perspective, form opinions, make judgements, adapt to change, and find ways of coping with their problems.

As we have attempted to review the fiscal year just ended, we have been sharply confronted with a picture of an institution acting and being acted upon. The givens upon which we used to base our planning are no longer the same: There may be no more direct federal aid. The method of local funding is in doubt. State Aid regulations are being revised. The form of county government is changing. The public is requiring more and more information services. The means of communication are becoming more audio-visual. The support role of the library vis-a-vis other institutions in the community seems to be increasing. This litany of uncertainty names only the most pressing elements now in view. What are the factors which are not yet visible?

One thing is certain: the potential of the library as a servant of the people and of the people's institutions within this community is very great. Approaching that potential will require careful husbanding of the available resources and thoughtful planning. It will also mean the making of significant choices which will require a consensus of governing officials, the library administration and commission and the people to be served. We have for the most part been reacting to demand and to chance opportunity rather than systematically planning how the library may best achieve its mandate.

A measure of uncertainty is our portion as a government agency in a society influx. Planning which develops clearly seen goals and objectives can help us make the best choices as we adapt to changing times and needs of our citizens."

LIBRARY PUBLICATIONS

The Richland County Public Library has published a pamphlet to introduce people to services offered by the library. "Richland County Public Library Welcomes You to Our Services" is designed in the form of a crossword puzzle; some key words are reference service, microfilm, bestsellers, magazines, etc. The pamphlet is being distributed by the Welcome Wagon.

The Richland County Public Library has also revised its large print and talking books pamphlets. Both pamphlets are printed in large type.

The Greenville County Library recently published a twenty-four-page "Calendar of Events," covering the period from September, 1974, through May, 1975. The day-to-day listing includes information on recreational, cultural, and educational events occurring in the Greenville area.

The Greenville library also issues a separate calendar of events each month.

WACCAMAW REGIONAL LIBRARIANS HOLD FALL MEETING

Thirty-four members of the Horry-Georgetown-Williamsburg Librarian's Association convened for a luncheon meeting of the Association at Myrtle Beach on September 17. Mrs. Catherine Lewis, Librarian, Horry County Memorial Library presented a program on the history of Horry County. The program was highlighted by presentation of the recorded conversations of early residents of Horry County.

During a brief business meeting conducted by the president of the Association, Mrs. Jean Dessent, a motion was carried to change the Association's name to the Waccamaw Library Association. The next meeting of the Association is scheduled for January.

NEW LIBRARY AT PRESBYTERIAN COLLEGE DEDICATED

Formal dedication ceremonies of the James H. Thomason Library at Presbyterian College were held on September 24. The main speaker was Dr. C. Hugh Holman, member of the faculty of the University of North Carolina and an alumnus.

Mr. and Mrs. James Thomason cut the ribbons at the main entrance to the building named after Mr. Thomason, Laurens County business leader and benefactor of the college. Mr. Thomason's contribution of an initial gift of \$250,000 to the library building program in 1968 and a subsequent deferred gift valued at \$500,000 make him the single largest individual donor in the college's history.

The new library building, containing approximately 45,000 square feet, was constructed at a cost of \$1.6 million.

PLANS FOR NEW LIBRARY AT COASTAL CAROLINA ANNOUNCED

Plans for a new \$2 million library for the University of South Carolina Coastal Carolina Regional Campus were announced in September. Officials from the Coastal Campus also met with architects during the same month to develop plans for the building. Earlier, at the suggestion of the Southern Association of Schools and Colleges, college officials had made the new library the top priority building project for the college.

FINES INCREASED AT WINTHROP COLLEGE LIBRARY

In an attempt to handle the problem of overdue books, the Winthrop College Library has increased overdue finds to 10¢ per day. The fine had formerly been 5¢ per day if the fine was paid when the book was returned and 10¢ per day otherwise. The decision to increase fines was made after an analysis of the cost of processing overdues and a survey of fine structures of other academic libraries.

In addition to the increased fines, the library will also add a ten-cents service charge to the fine for each book kept eight days or more overdue. The loan period is for two weeks with renewals given unless there is a request for the book from another patron.

GRANTS TO ACADEMIC LIBRARIES

University of South Carolina libraries have received a total of \$38,115 in grants to be spent for library resources from the U.S. Department of Health, Education and Welfare under Title II of the Higher Education Act. The grant, which allocates \$4,235 to the main library and each of the regional campus libraries, will be used to purchase materials in the areas of ecology, drug abuse, black and disadvantaged studies, and career education.

Columbia College also received a \$4,235 College Library Resources Grant. The grant will be used to purchase materials for the college's reading and writing laboratories. Other colleges which have received grants under the College Library Resources Program include Furman University, Winthrop College, and Lander College.

The Medical University of South Carolina is the recipient of a \$3.4 million grant from the Department of Health Education and Welfare, to be used in part to expand the university's Library Administration Building. A fourth floor is being added to the library building in order to allow additional expansion of the Learning Resources Center which will contain a broad range of self-instructional materials for students and practitioners.

Final drawings and specifications were completed and bids were taken on the proposed Hilton Head branch of the Beaufort County Library during September. The 8,000 square-foot building will occupy a 1.5 acre site donated by the Hilton Head Company. The Beaufort County Council has reserved \$265,000 in revenue sharing funds for the project.

SOLINET TRAINING PROGRAM HOLDS MEETING IN OCTOBER

The first training program for librarians of member institutions of the Southeastern Library Network (SOLINET) will be held October 2 in Atlanta.

Topic of the meeting will be "The Effects of the OCLC System." SOLINET staff members will discuss status of network operations, including the training program. Ohio librarians will discuss use of OCLC System (Ohio College Library Catalog) with emphasis on work organization, personnel and training, cost, and data base.

The SOLINET Training Program has been divided into several units; they are: SOLINET, OCLC, and their relationship; effect of the OCLC system on user libraries; SOLINET libraries profiles; bibliographic records in machine - readable form; and operation of the OCLC 100 terminal.

SOLINET is a ten-state network with a current membership of 99 research libraries.

SERIALS/MICROFORM EXCHANGE WARNING

The following information was released in late July from the Public Information Office of ALA:

It has come to the attention of the ALA/RTSD/Resources Section Bookdealer-Library Relations Committee that a dealer is once again offering a serials/microform exchange package to libraries. At the moment, the committee is aware only of some Pennsylvania libraries being solicited. Librarians are advised to study very carefully any proposals received, to conclude no agreement without the advice of the library's counsel and to communicate with the chairman of the committee concerning the terms of the agreements offered or accepted. The chairman is Murray S. Martin, 505 B Pattee Library, Pennsylvania State University, University Parks, Pennsylvania 16802. Phone collect (814) 865-0401.

Field Enterprises Educational Corporation and the American Library Association are jointly sponsoring a national public service campaign titled "Reading Begins at Home." A 60 second television message is currently in production and will be distributed to stations throughout the United States this fall. A public service radio announcement will also be released in the fall to radio stations in the U.S. Both public service messages will offer free copies of a 6-page color pamphlet featuring children's art and a message to parents about their child's early learning experiences. Single copies of the "Reading Begins at Home" pamphlet are available free from the ALA Public Information Office. Bulk copies are available at cost from the ALA Order Department at: 100-\$5.00; 500-\$22.00; 1000-\$40.00

SOUTH CAROLINA COMMITTEE FOR HUMANITIES SEEKS APPLICATIONS FOR '74-'75

The South Carolina Committee for the Humanities has announced that it is seeking applications for projects for the period 1974-1975. The Committee acts as a sub-granting agent for the State-Based Program of the National Endowment for the Humanities which was implemented in 1970. By providing financial support, the Committee seeks to foster an exchange of ideas about public policy and human values between teaching scholars in the humanistic and social sciences disciplines and adult, out-of-school citizens. Previous projects have involved teaching scholars, government officials, and experts in various fields.

Any authorized representative of a non-profit organization (including libraries) or civic group may apply for a grant. During the last year (1973-74) libraries in two regions were involved in sponsoring public forums under the auspices of the Committee. The Horry-Georgetown-Williamsburg Librarians Association and the Horry County Memorial Library held a series of three community forums on "Water Supply and Waste Disposal," "Education and the Public Schools" and "Citizen Participation in Local Government." Professors from USC-Coastal Carolina Regional Campus, USC, Clemson University, and Morris College assisted in the programs. The project was directed by Mrs. Sylvia Zack, Horry-Georgetown TEC Library, and Catherine Lewis, Horry County Library. The York County Library, under the direction of Joseph E. Garcia and with the assistance of Winthrop College faculty, held several community meetings. The meetings were attended by recipients of social services and representatives of local service agencies. Responsibilities and methods for improving the level of services in the community were discussed.

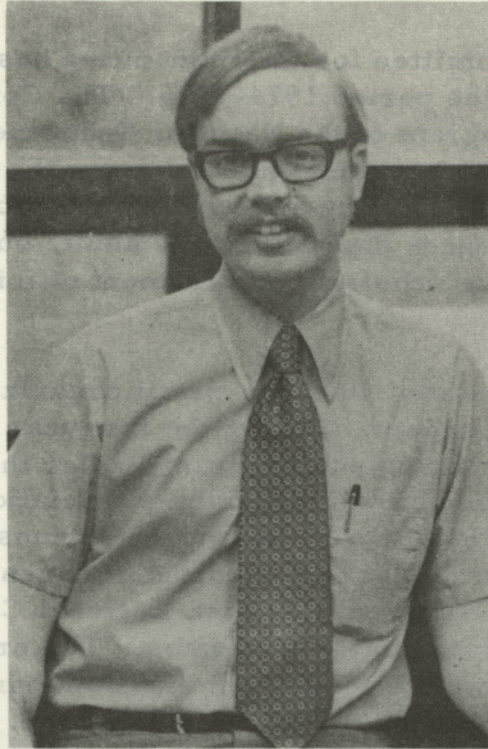
For information concerning proposed projects and application forms, contact Dr. Porter G. Barron, Executive Secretary, South Carolina Committee for the Humanities, McCrory Building, 2801 Devine Street, Columbia, South Carolina 29205 (803-252-7055).

Libraries in need of posters may be interested in the services of a new company - Creative Library Services, 2005 32nd Street, Rock Island, Illinois, 61201, which is offering a series of two and three-color hand-screened posters (two each month, one for children, one for adults) for a monthly charge of \$4.00.

In addition, Demco is offering a large full-color poster entitled "Picka Paperback, Best Books Under the Sun" with line space to print in suggested titles. Order from Demco Educational Corporation, Box 1488, Madison, Wisconsin 53701, \$1.50.

The Board of Trustees of the Sumter County Library is sponsoring a fall lecture series from September 26-November 7. Speakers from the area will talk on such diverse topics as Hindu religion, Renaissance art, modern Europe, and cosmological theories.

ALAN F. ROST



Scott Joplin, the "Father of Ragtime," is alive and well. That's what Alan F. Rost will tell you about the turn-of-the-century composer of the music adapted recently for the motion picture "The Sting". And when he's not talking music, he's talking as the librarian for the Kershaw County Library in Camden. Mr. Rost's appreciation of the great names in jazz and classical compositions which began in his hometown in Des Moines, Iowa, grew during his residence in Cleveland and continues now in Camden.

The study of music has been an integral part of Rost's young career, and he is among a new breed of professional librarians who have successfully combined life-long interests, like music, with their vocation.

Rost joined the Kershaw County Library staff in November, 1973, coming from the Cleveland, (Ohio), Institute of Music, where he served as record cataloger.

He is a 1971 graduate of Drake University, having earned a BA degree in music education. Rost received his MSLS in 1973 from Case Western University. He is a former school teacher and employee of the Des Moines Public Library. Rost has also served as an instructor's assistant at Drake University's College of Fine Arts.

A member of the South Carolina Library Association, Southeastern Library Association, and Phi Mu Alpha Sinfonia Professional Music Fraternity, Rost is also affiliated with the Beta Phi Mu International Library Science Honor Society. He resides in Camden, enjoys stamp collecting, and reading American history and archeology.

NEWS OF S. C. LIBRARIANS

...ANNE BAGWELL, Librarian, Devine Street Branch, Richland County Public Library, is currently attending the College of Librarianship at USC. ...EILEEN BLOCH, Librarian, Grice Marine Biological Library, College of Charleston, visited the Virginia Institute of Marine Science, Gloucester Point, Virginia, to study the organization and resources of the VIMS Library. During her visit, Ms. Bloch gathered information for the continued development of the marine resources collections of the Grice Laboratory and the South Carolina State Wildlife Marine Resources Division. Future plans call for the eventual culmination of the collections into what should be one of the most significant marine research facilities on the east coast. ...GAIL COLLIER recently assumed the position of Librarian at the McCormick County Library. Ms. Collier is a graduate of Lander College. ...CHARLES GARDNER has resigned from his position as coordinator of "Project Outreach" at the Greenville County Library to become Community Relations Coordinator for the city of Greenville. ...MARION GAINES became the new Librarian of the Clinton branch of the Laurens County Library on August 29. Mrs. Gaines holds a master's degree in library science from Florida State University. ...ANN JAMES, an August graduate from the graduate library school program at Florida State University, joined the staff of the Lander College Library as Acquisitions Librarian in September. ...ANNA DAVIS KING, Librarian, Richland County Public Library, was a featured personality in the September issue of Sandlapper Magazine. ...NEAL A. MARTIN, Reference Librarian, James A. Rogers Library, Francis Marion College, has been elected to serve a four-year term as the SCLA representative to the Executive Board of the Southeastern Library Association. ...MARY MORGAN joined the library staff as Assistant Librarian at the Coastal Carolina Regional Campus--U. S. C. A native of Columbia, South Carolina, Miss Morgan is a 1974 graduate of the graduate library school at Emory University. Previously, she has worked as an assistant in the government documents section of the Woodruff Library at Emory. ...MARGIE RICHARDSON, a Simpsonville, S. C. native, has joined the staff of the Reference Department of the Richland County Public Library. A graduate of Agnes Scott College, Miss Richardson received her master's degree in librarianship from Emory University. ...ANN STUART ROBINSON has recently been appointed Children's Room Librarian at the Richland County Public Library. A native of Memphis, Tennessee, Miss Robinson received her undergraduate degree from Erskine College and her MLS from the University of Pittsburgh. ...GINGER SHULER is the new Branch Librarian at the Cooper Branch of the Richland County Public Library. Miss Shuler, a Louisiana native, received her undergraduate degree in history from Louisiana State University and worked at the Natchitoches Louisiana Public Library. Beginning her graduate library work at LSU, she completed her master's degree at the University of South Carolina. ...JOAN SORENSEN joined the staff of the Greenville County Library on September 9 as Young Adult Librarian. Mrs. Sorensen received her B.A. degree in English at Western Maryland College and completed her master's degree in library science from Case Western Reserve. Mrs. Sorensen most recently served as Assistant Documents Librarian specializing in U.N. documents at Ohio University in Athens, Ohio. While at the university, she also served as Periodicals Librarian. Previous to this, she has held positions as Assistant Branch Librarian, Coney Island Branch, Brooklyn Public Library, and also served as a member of the Young Adult Department and as Assistant Branch Librarian at the Patterson Park Branch of the Enoch Pratt Library. Mrs. Sorensen is a member of the Special Libraries Association. ...LESLIE R. WALTMAN, JR., has been named

Librarian of Piedmont Technical College. A graduate of Brigham Young University, Mr. Waltman also received a master's degree in history from the same university. After serving for five years as a member of the faculty of the history department at Jacksonville State University in Jacksonville, Alabama, Mr. Waltman earned his master's degree in library science from Atlanta University recently...

NEWS OF TRUSTEES

Mrs. Charles Mims was recently elected Chairman of the Lee County Board of Trustees,

Newly-elected officers to the Union Carnegie Library Board of Trustees include: Mrs. Nancy Wilburn, Chairman; Dr. H. L. Sutherland, Vice-Chairman; and Dr. V. R. Hawkins, Treasurer.

Newly-appointed members to the Nancy Carson Library Board of Directors are Mrs. Donald Metz, Mrs. J. Carleton Vaughn, and Fred Springer.

IT'S A BOY(S)!

Congratulations are due to:

Dr. and Mrs. Porter G. Barron, the parents of a son, Porter G. Barron, Jr., born September 12. Mrs. Lynn Barron was formerly associated with the Reference Department at McKissick Library, U. S. C. Dr. Barron is currently Director of the South Carolina Committee for the Humanities.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Cross, whose son John Sebastian, was born on September 16. Mrs. Mary Cross is currently on leave from the Serials Department, McKissick Library, U. S. C. Mr. Cross is a member of the reference staff at McKissick Library.

SYMPATHY

To the family of Mrs. Elizabeth McCabe Atkinson of Hampton who died September 6 at her home after a long illness. Mrs. Atkinson had been for a number of years a member of the Hampton County Library Board and the Allendale-Hampton-Jasper Regional Library Board. She had also worked part-time in the Hampton County Library.

GIFTS

Representatives of the Ted O. McGee Realty Company recently presented a painting to the Lexington Library Association for display in the proposed new library. The painting had been awarded first prize at a recent historical art contest sponsored by the realty company.

Professor T. D. Brown has donated his private library, valued at more than \$3,000, to the McCain Library at Erskine College. Dr. Brown served as head of the college's department of biology from 1948-1973.

Representatives of the First National Bank in Lexington donated \$1,000 for the library building fund to the Lexington Library Association.

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